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Emily Berry Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 Box 145801 Salt Lake City UT 84114-5801

RE: Maria Pit Overburden Dump Pile

In Reply Please Refer to Case No. 08-1848

Dear Ms Berry:

The Utah State Historic Preservation office received your request for our comment on the above referenced project on November 3, 2008. From the information you provided, it appears that no cultural resources were located in the project Area of Potential Effects. We concur with your determination of **No Historic Properties Affected** for this project.

Utah Code 9-8-404(1)(a) denotes that your agency is responsible for all final decisions regarding cultural resources for this undertaking. Our comments here are provided as specified in U.C.A. 9-8-404(3)(a)(i). If you have questions, please contact me at (801-533-3555 or Lhunsaker@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

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Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer - Archaeology



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